

2006 Hoosier Fast Stats

- In 2006, Indiana reported 148 workplace fatalities. Indiana's most recent fatality rate is 4.8 per 100,000 employees.
- The number of occupational injuries and illnesses reported in 2006 was 131,000. This represents a decrease of 4,000 injuries and illnesses as compared to 2005.
- The Occupational Injury and Illness Rate in Indiana in 2006 is 5.4 per 100 employees. Historically, this is the lowest rate for Indiana; however, Indiana is above the national rate of 4.4.
- In 2006, 56% of the workplace fatalities in Indiana involved a vehicle.
- Forty-three percent (43%) of the injuries and illnesses that resulted in days away from work in the state in 2006 were from ergonomically-related events.

Data Sources

Injury, illness and fatality data used in this publication is for calendar year 2006 and was collected in 2007 by the Quality, Metrics & Statistics Division of the Indiana Department of Labor in partnership with the Bureau of Labor Statistics. Data for 2007 will be released in October 2008.

Survey of Occupational Injuries & Illnesses (SOII)

Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries (CFOI)

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Agriculture Industry

Occupational Injuries, Illnesses and Fatalities

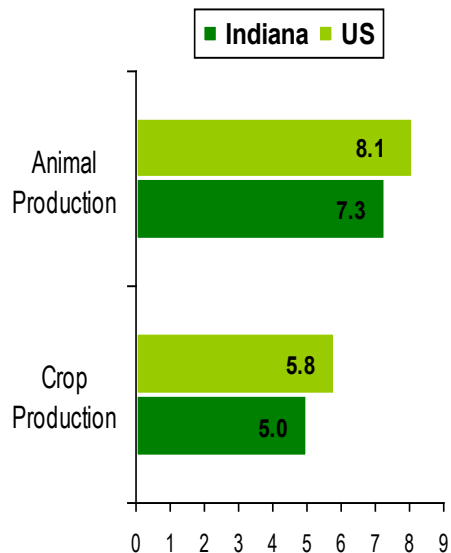
INDIANA AGRICULTURE CHARACTERISTICS

Indiana Agriculture Fast Stats: 1996-2006

Year	Employment	Injuries & Illnesses	Injury & Illness Rate	Fatalities
1996	-	1,400	8.5	17
1997	-	1,300	7.0	22
1998	9,284	1,300	7.3	20
1999	11,379	1,700	8.7	35
2000	11,471	1,800	8.8	29
2001	11,864	1,600	8.6	27
2002	11,616	1,300	6.9	24
2003	11,784	500	6.3	22
2004	11,874	400	5.1	30
2005	11,840	600	8.1	26
2006	11,910	500	5.8	12

The Indiana Agriculture Injury and Illness Rate is below the National Agriculture Rate which is 6.0 per 100 workers.

Agriculture Industries' Rate Comparisons



Select Characteristics of Indiana Agriculture Injuries and Illnesses with Days Away From Work (2006)

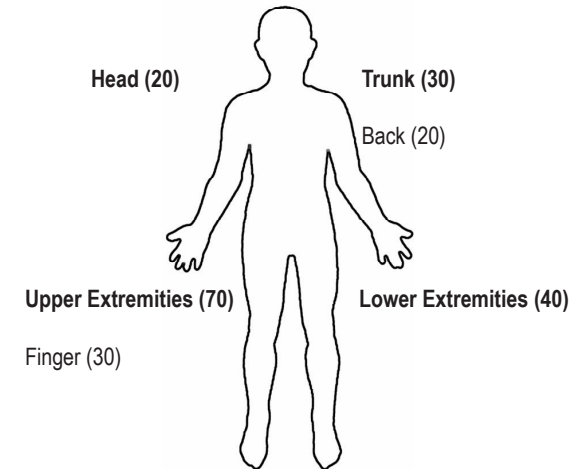
Total Injuries with Days Away From Work in = 170
Median number of days away from work = 3

Nature	Number
Injury	
Sprains, strains	60
Cuts, lacerations	30
Fatality	
Multiple traumatic injuries	5
Internal injuries	3

Event	Number
Injury	
Contact with objects and equipment	80
Caught in object, equipment or material	50
Struck by object	30
Fall on same level	20
Assault by animal	20
Overexertion	20
Fatality	
Transportation incident	5
Assaults and violent acts	3
Contact with object	3
Fall	1

Source	Number
Injury	
Parts and materials	20
Floors, walkways, ground surfaces	20
Fatality	
Vehicle	7
Tractor	3

Part of Body Affected



Worker Demographics	Number
Gender	
Male	150
Female	20
Race	
White	80
Black	-
Hispanic/Latino	60
Not Reported	30
Age	
16-19	-
20-24	20
25-34	70
35-44	40
45-54	20
55-64	20
65 and Older	-